



RECREATIONAL USE ATTAINABILITY ANALYSES
PUBLIC COMMENTS

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May 21, 2008 – August 31, 2008

River des Peres
WBID #1711

Class C
St. Louis City

Missouri Department of Natural Resources
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Recreational Use of Your Stream

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Stream name: River des Peres WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? St. Louis City

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☐ No ☒ If so, how? _____

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

River Des Peres Park along Hampton Ave

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☐ No ☒ If so, how? _____

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

See

Signature Margaret B. Henderson Date 7/4/08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
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Please use the back if you need more space to answer questions or to provide additional information or maps

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Missouri Department of Natural Resources

Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name)

2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs)

3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use)

4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range, Latitude/Longitude, etc).

5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?
☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

6. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:
☐ Swimming ☐ Tubing ☐ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

7. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

8. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:
☐ Fishing ☐ Wading ☒ Boating ☐ Trapping

9. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

10. How many of these times did children wade or play in the stream?

11. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?
☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #12 ☐ No If No, go to Question #17

12. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:
☒ Swimming ☐ Tubing ☐ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

13. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

14. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:
☒ Fishing ☐ Wading ☒ Boating ☐ Trapping

15. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

16. How many of these times did you observe or hear of children wading or playing in the stream?

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

First Name: Last Name:

Address 1: Address 2:

City: State: Zip Code:

Phone Number: () - ext. E-mail:

Thank you for taking time to complete our stream use survey. We appreciate your interest and involvement in protecting and preserving the quality of Missouri's waters. If you have questions or additional comments, please contact John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, at 1-800-361-4827 or (573) 526-1446, by e-mail at cleanwater@dnr.mo.gov, or by mail at P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0176.

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Recreational Use of Your Stream

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Stream name: River Des Peres WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? St. Louis County and St. Louis City

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes X No _____

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving

Tubing **Kayaking** **Canoeing** Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes _____ No X If so, how? _____

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

In July 2000, two of us paddled the River Des Peres from Hwy 55 upstream about 2 miles.

In May 2008, three of us paddled the River Des Peres from Willmore Park in the City of St. Louis to the confluence. A humorous account of the paddle can be viewed at:

<http://www.joelight.com/rdp/>

Also in this account there is documentation of a lady fishing in the River Des Peres.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes X No _____

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving

Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: Jet Skiing

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes X No _____ If so, how? _____

In 2008, a jet skier was on the River Des Peres

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

I saw the individual where the River Des Peres crosses under Highway 44. I talked to him and he told me that he had put in at Highway 55 which is several miles downstream.

Pictures of the jet skier can be seen at:

<http://www.joelight.com/jetski/jetski.jpg>

and

<http://www.joelight.com/jetski/jetski2.jpg>

Signature _____ **Joe Light** _____ Date _____ **August 8, 2008** _____

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